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SCHOOL OF PURE AND APPLIED SCIENCES

DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS AND STATISTICS

THIRD YEAR SPECIAL/SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION FOR
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (MATHEMATICS AND COMPUTER SCIENCE)

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (STATISTICS AND PROGRAMMING)

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (ANALYTICAL CHEMISTRY)

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BACHELOR OF ECONOMICS AND STATISTICS

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (MATHEMATICS)

BACHELOR OF EDUCATION

SMA 300: REAL ANALYSIS I

DATE: 7/3/2023

TIME: 2:00 – 4:00 PM

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Answer **question one** and **any other two** questions
2. Write the name of the unit and registration number on each page of your answer sheet.

QUESTION ONE (COMPULSORY) (30 MARKS)

- a) Describe what is meant by statement “The set $\mathbb{R}$ of real numbers is complete”. Exhibit an example to illustrate why the set $\mathbb{Q}$ of rational numbers is not complete. (3 marks)
- b) Explain what is meant by upper bound, infimum of a set and a countable set. (3 marks)
- c) Show that the sequence $\left\{\frac{1}{2^n}\right\}; n \in \mathbb{N}$ is bounded and determine its supremum and infimum. (4 marks)
- d) Determine the convergence or divergence of

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{4\sqrt{n}-1}{n^2+2\sqrt{n}} \quad (4 \text{ marks})$$

- e) Let A and B be neighborhoods of a point x . Show that the intersection $A \cap B$ is a neighborhood of x . (4 marks)
- f) Prove that if a sequence converges then its limit is unique. (4 marks)
- g) Let $A_n = (2 - \frac{1}{2n}, 5 + \frac{1}{n})$ $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Find:
- (i) $\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n$ (ii) $\bigcap_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n$ (4 marks)
- h) Prove that convergence of a sequence implies boundedness. Use an example to show that the converse need not be true. (4 marks)

QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)

- a) Let $X = \mathbb{R}$. Describe what is meant by
- i) Neighborhood of a point $x \in X$. (2 marks)
- ii) An open set $O \in X$. (2 marks)
- b) Given that $A = (3, 7)$ find the exterior of A . (2 marks)
- c) Consider the set $A = (1, 10) \cup \{11\}$. Show that 11 is the isolated point of A . (3 marks)
- d) Prove that the set of rational $\mathbb{Q}$ has no interior point (4 marks)
- e) Use limit comparison test determine the convergence of

$$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{2^k - 5} \right) \quad (4 \text{ marks})$$

- f) Show that the set $Y = \{\sin x \mid 0 \leq x \leq 2\pi, x \in \mathbb{R}\}$ is bounded. Determine the supremum and infimum. (3 marks)

QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)

- a) Define what is meant by a convergent sequence hence show from first principles that the sequence: $y_n = 3 + \frac{(-1)^n}{n^2}$ Converges to 3 in $\mathbb{R}$. (4 marks)
- b) Determine the n th partial sum of the series below. Hence test for its convergence.
- $$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{3}{n^2 + 3n + 2} \quad (5 \text{ marks})$$
- c) Show that $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (1 - \frac{1}{2^n}) = 1$ (2 marks)
- d) Show that $f(x) = 2x + 1$ is Riemann integrable on $[1, 2]$ and hence find $\int_1^2 (2x + 1) dx$, (6 marks)
- e) Show that a finite intersection of open sets is open. (3 marks)

QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)

- a) Explain the following terms
- i) Monotonic increasing sequence. (1 mark)
 - ii) Cauchy sequence. (2 marks)
- b) Test for convergence of the following series
- (i) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{10^n}{n4^{2n+1}}$ (ii) $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^{n^2}$ (iii) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(2n)!}{2^n n!}$ (9 marks)
- c) Show that from the first principle that limit $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} (x^2 - 4x + 2) = -2$ (4 marks)
- d) Determine whether the function $f(x) = \begin{cases} -x^2 + 4 & x \leq 3 \\ 4x - 8 & x > 3 \end{cases}$ is continuous at $x = 3$. Justify your answer. (4 marks)

QUESTION FIVE (20 MARKS)

- a) Show that $f(x) = x^2 + 1$ is Riemann integrable on $[0,1]$ and hence find $\int_0^1 (x^2 + 1) dx$ (10 marks)
- b) Prove that every convergent sequence is Cauchy. (4 marks)
- c) Let $\mathbb{R}$ be the set of real numbers. Define a function $d: \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+$ by $d(x, y) = |x - y| \forall x, y \in \mathbb{R}$. Show that d is a metric space. (6 marks)